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Plaintiffs,

v.

THE KROGER COMPANY and ALBERTSONS COMPANIES, INC.,

Defendants.

Case No.: 3:24-cv-00347-AN

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Defendants are filing today a Response to Plaintiffs' Motion *In Limine* to Exclude Evidence or Argument Related to Defendants' Proposed Divestiture. Defendants' Responses attaches certain exhibits designated under the Protective Order as Confidential or Highly Confidential or filed under seal out of an abundance of caution. Pursuant to the Protective Order, ECF No. 97, and the Court's Order on sealing, ECF No. 331, Defendants hereby give notice that they shall file a public version of the Motion with redactions on page 2 as well as a separate nonpublic version under seal with Exhibits A–D.

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